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THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE ALABAMA STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS

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Presidential Message

Dear colleagues and clinic owners:

It's that time of year again to renew our license. The Board staff has been very busy with the renewal process but we still are seeing a large percentage of licensee's who are waiting until the last minute to begin the process. We have had several licensee's who are reluctant to use the online renewal process because they are unfamiliar with transactions via internet. If you need assistance, please contact the Board Office and the staff will be more than happy to aid you in this process.

We continue to have Doctors who take seminars for CCE credits that have not been approved in Alabama. This can create a severe problem for the licensee. The process for approval

of a seminar can take several weeks, so if you try to obtain approval after taking the seminar, it may not be approved in time for the credit to be counted. The best advice is to check to make sure the seminar is approved for CCE in Alabama and complete the course well before the deadline. We had a few Doctors who took unapproved seminars at year end last year. This resulted in their not having the required hours to renew and this is a situation that no one wishes to find themselves in because your license will lapse and you will have to go through the reinstatement process thus not being able to practice until completed.

Sometimes there are disciplinary

NON RENEW LIST

Please see website for list of licensees who have not completed the renewal process.

If your name is on the list please contact the Board immediately regarding license renewal.

cases where the Doctor is not represented by counsel. The Notice of charges informs the Doctor in bold print of the right to counsel. While the choice is yours to make, it is strongly suggested that you seek legal advise and representation. No adverse inference is drawn from having counsel. Since the hearing process involves issues which are legal in nature, assistance of legal counsel will help you better understand the nature of the proceedings and should result in better preparation in connection with answering the charges and advancing your position or defense.

In closing please contact your Congressman and Senators regarding the National Healthcare issue to encourage inclusion of fair access for all patients for Chiropractic Services.

Brian Wells, D.C.

Condolences

Dr. William R. Chadwick. Dr. Chadwick graduated Logan College of Chiropractic in 1962 and received his Alabama license June 30, 1964. Dr. Chadwick lived and practiced in Clanton. The Board and staff send condolences to the family and friends of Dr. Chadwick.

OUR MISSION

To regulate and license doctors of chiropractic in order to protect the people of Alabama.

OUR VISION

To ensure the people of Alabama will receive professional, ethical and quality care in utilizing chiropractic services to maximize health benefits.

OUR VALUES

Excellence, integrity, communication and ethics.

ONLINE



SEMINARS

Texas Chiropractic College offers the following ONLINE courses until December 2009. For information contact Bitsy Hatch, DC at 1-281-998-6028

- 1. "Adjunctive Physiotherapy Procedures"
- 2. "Ancillary Diagnostic Testing & Procedures"
- 3. "Chiropractic Guide to Symptoms & Disease"
- 4. "Chiropractic Sports Medicine"
- 5. "Chiropractic Treatment and Golf Injuries"
- 6. "Chiropractic Treatment Auto Accident Injuries"
- 7. "Ethics & Chiropractic Practice"
- 8. "Exercise Strength and Conditioning"
- 9. "Fundamentals of Clinical Nutrition"
- 10. "Orthopedic & Neurologic Evaluation"
- 11. "Pain Management"
- 12. "Professional Boundaries & Chiropractic Practice"
- 13. "Risk Management and Documentation Essentials"
- 14. "Sports Injuries"
- 15. "Weight Loss Management: Fitness & Nutrition"

 New York Chiropractic College offers the following ONLINE courses until December 2009: For information contact Rosemarie Burrafato at 1-516-796-5923.
 - 1. "Acupuncture & TCM Approaches Fibromyalgia"
 - 2. "Chiropractic Back School Module 1"
 - 3. "Chiropractic Back School Module 2"
 - 4. "Chiropractic Back School Module 3"
 - 5. "Chiropractic Back School Module 4"
 - "Documentation, Care & Coding: Outcome-Based Practice Performance"

National University of Health Sciences offers the following ONLINE courses until December 2009: For information contact Jonathan R. Soltys, DC at 1-630-889-6622.

- 1. "Blocking Procedures in Chiropractic"
- "Cartilage Support Supplements in the Treatment of Osteoarthritis"
- 3. "Introduction to MRI"
- 4. "Nutrition & Supplements for Gastro Intestinal Disorders"
- 5. "Nutrition for Musculoskeletal Trauma"
- 6. "Radiation Safety"
- 7. "The Four Biggies of X-Ray Quality"
- 8. "The Subluxation Challenge / the Treatment Case Study"

Western States Chiropractic College offers the following ONLINE courses until December 2009: For information contact Marsha Peoples Jack at 1-503-251-5719.

- 1. "Clinical Practice Update Seminar"
- 2. "Ethics & Boundary Issues for Chiropractors"
- 3. "Radiology of the Spine & Extremities"

University of Bridgeport / Chiro Credit offers the following ONLINE courses until December 2009: For information contact Paul Powers, DC at 1-860-463-9003.

- 1. "Guidelines for Annual Techniques 101"
- 2. "Neurology Module 102"
- 3. "Nutrition Module 103"
- 4. "Ortho"
- 5. "Physical Therapy 101"
- 6. "X-ray"

Parker College of Chiropractic offers the following ONLINE courses until December 2009: For information contact Tereasa Wright at 1-800-266-4723.

- 1. "Boundaries With Patients: Confidentiality & Sexual Misconduct"
- 2. "Comprehensive Guide to Treating the Female Patient"
- 3. "Nutritional Considerations for Patients with Osteoporosis"
- 4. "Risk Management in Chiropractic"
- 5. "Scoliosis Series Part 1"
- 6. "Scoliosis Series Part 2"
- 7. "SI Joint Pain-Diagnosis and Management"
- 8. "Transparent & Defendable Treatment Plan Documentation"

Palmer College of Chiropractic offers the following ON-LINE courses until December 2009. For information contact Sharon Whitney at 1-563-884-5715.

- 1. "Activator methods-Online Track 1"
- 2. "Documentation"
- 3. "Management & Recordkeeping"

Northwestern Health Sciences University offers the following ONLINE courses until December 2009: For information contact Jacklyn Sanford at 1-952-885-5446

- 1. "48-Hour Nutritional Certificate Program 1-4"
- 2. "Auricular Acupuncture: Treating Pain, Addictions, Stress Through the Ear"
- 3. "The Neurological Examination: Going Beyond the Fundamentals"
- 4. "Neglected, Misunderstood or Forgotten Concepts in Chiropractic"
- 5. "The Fundamental Neurological Examination & Practice Case"

Southern California University Health Sciences offers the following ONLINE course until December 2009: For information contact Yvonne Rabago at 1-562 -902-3379.

"Functional Diagnostic Medicine Training Program 2009 Module II

Alabama State Chiropractic Association presents the following course: For information contact Layne Lunn at 334-262-2228.

"Best Practices in Chiropractic Wellness" 12 hour November 14-15 in Birmingham, AL

International Chiropractic Pediatric presents the following course: For information contact Corinne Pitts at 610-565-2360.

"I.C.P.A. Certification Program" 12 hours October 17-18 and November 21-22, in Marietta, GA.

Life Chiropractic College West presents the following course: For information contact Kendra L. Holloway, DC at 510-780-4508.

"Myovision Team Elite 2" 12 hours October 17-18 in Minneapolis, MN, November 14-15 in New York, NY and December 12-13 in Richmond, VA.

Life University presents the following courses: For information contact Leila Russell-Tatum at 770-426-2753.

"Koren Specific Technique" 16 hours October 10-11 in Bloomington, MN and December 5-6 in Philadelphia, PA. "Lyceum 2009" 29 hours October 15-18 in Marietta, GA.

Logan College of Chiropractic presents the following courses: For information contact Ralph Barrale, D.C. at 800-842-3234.

- "Pro Adjuster Manipulation Technique-Basic Training" 6 hours October 2-3, November 6-7 and December 11-12 in Canonsburg, PA
- "Pro Adjuster Intermediate Training" 6 hours October 2-3, November 6-7 and December 11-12 in Canonsburg, PA.
- "Advanced Laserology" 12 hours October 11-12 in Orlando, FL.
- "SORSI Homecoming 2009" 28.5 hours October 14-18 in St. Louis, MO.
- "ACA Chiropractic Symposium & Expo 2009" 20.5 hours October 30 and November 1 in St. Louis, MO
- "Loomis Institute of Enzyme Nutrition Seminar 2" 20 hours October 23-25 in Rosemont, IL.
- "Unique Options for Enhancing Your Practice" 16 hours November 14-15 in Chesterfield, MO.
- "Basic Laserology" 12 hours November 7-8 in Atlanta, GA.
- "Prosport Chiropractic 18th Annual Hands-on Training/ Workshop" 20 hours December 3-6 in Las Vegas, NV.
- "Pro Adjuster Advanced Training Class 4" 6 hours December 4-5 in Canonsburg, PA.

Mississippi Chiropractic Association presents the following course: For information contact Vickie Webb at 601-276-3336.

"Nutrition & Philosophy a New Look at Spondylolisthesis" 12 hours October 10-11 in Olive Branch, MS.

coming Seminars

National University of Health Sciences presents the following courses: For information contact Jonathan R. Soltys, D.C. at 630-889-6622.

- "ACCC/CFS 2009 Annual Conference" 27 hours October 8 -10 in Oak Brook, IL.
- "North American Spine Society 24th Annual Meeting" 26 hours November 10-14 in San Francisco, CA.
- "COX Distraction Decompression Adjusting & Manipulation" 18 hours November 13-15 in Lombard, IL.
- "Understanding Biotransformation & Recognizing Toxicity" 20 hours December 4-6 in Scottsdale, AZ.
- "Cox Part III: Integration & Implementation Cox Technique" 12 hours December 5-6 in Fort Wayne, IN.

New York Chiropractic College presents the following courses: For information contact Rosemarie Burrafato at 516-796-5923.

- "Active Release Technique-Lower Extremity" 24 hours October 1-4 in Jersey City, NJ.
- "Active Release Technique-Masters Art Course" 12 hours October 3 in Jersey City, NJ, and November 14 in Orlando, FL
- "Sacro Occipital Technique-Dentocranial, SOT and Multidisciplinary Protocols" 27 hours October 22-25 in Las Vegas, NV.
- "Active Release Technique Recertification Course" 12 hours October 24-25 in Wall, NJ, November 5-6 in Panama City, FL, November 19-21 in Tempe, AZ
- "Active Release Technique-Spine" 21 hours November 5-8 in Portland, OR, November 12-15 in Orlando, FL and December 10-13 in Chicago, IL.

Northwestern Health Sciences University presents the following course: For information contact Jacklyn Sanford at 952-885-5446.

"6th Annual Gonstead Meeting of Minds: Everyday Challenges" 12 hours October 10-11 in Bloomington, MN.

NVIC presents the following course: For information contact Corinne Pitts at 610-565-2360.

"NVIC Fourth International Public Conference on Vaccination" 23 hours October 2-4 in Reston, VA.

Palmer College of Chiropractic presents the following courses: For information contact Sharon Whitney at 563-884-5715.

- "CCEP-Rehabilitation of the Extremities" 15 hours October 3-4 in Port Orange, FL.
- "NUCCA Conference Fall 2009" 24 hours October 7-10 in Dallas, TX.
- "LRS-IA: Neurology for the Practicing Chiropractor" 12 hours October 10-11 in Davenport, IA.
- "Pettibon Technique" 12 hours October 10-11 in Pittsburgh, PA October 24-25 in Denver, CO and November 14-15 in San Diego, CA.
- "Gonstead Seminar" 18 hours October 16-17 in Palm Springs, CA and November 14-15 in Chicago, IL.
- "FCS Vertebral Sublaxation Complex" 20 hours November 14-15 in St. Petersburg, FL.
- "LRS-IA: Practical Spinal & Extremity Analysis & Adjust-

ing" 12 hours November 21-22 in Davenport, IA.

Parker College of Chiropractic presents the following course: For information contact Teresa Wright at 800-266-4723.

"Scoliosis 2009 Part 1, 2 & 3" 32 hours October 10-11 in Dallas, TX November 14-15 in Dallas, TX, November 21 in St. Cloud, FL and December 5 in Dallas, TX.

Sherman College of Chiropractic presents the following courses: For information contact Missy Sandor at 800-849-8771.

- "Intermediate-Advanced Care Intensive" 23 hours December 3-6 in Denver, CO.
- "Basic Care Intensive" 18 hours October 16-18 in Newark, NJ.
- "Atlas Orthogonal Advanced" 12.5 hours October 17-18 in Atlanta, GA.
- "International Research & Philosophy Symposium" 11 hours October 17-18 in Spartanburg, SC.

<u>Southern California University of Health Sciences</u> presents the following courses: For information contact Yvonne Rabago at 562-902-3342.

- "20th Annual Clinical American Academy Pain Management" 91.5 hours October 8-11 in Phoenix AZ.
- "Whiplash & Brain Injury Traumatology Module 1-4" 12 hours October 10-11 in San Francisco, CA, October 24-25 in Baltimore, MD, and November 7-8 in St. Louis, MO.

Southern California University of Health Sciences presents the following course: For information contact Melea Fields at 562-902-3379.

"Take Your Practice to the Next Level..." 12 hours December 12-13 in Las Vegas, NV.

<u>Texas Chiropractic College</u> presents the following courses: For information contact Bitsy Hatch at 281-998-6028.

- "Easy 3 Step Bio-Detoxification" 6.5 hours October 3 in Charlotte, NC.
- "Foundational Laboratory Analysis" 12 hours November 7 -8 in Miami Springs, FL.
- "Nutritional & Herbal Therapy for Common Health Issues" 12 hours November 7-8 in Atlanta, GA.
- "Nutrition Response Testing" 13 hours December 12-13 in Atlanta, GA.
- "Total Solutions" 36.5 hours November 4-8 in Florissant, CO.

<u>Turning Point Logistic Systems</u> presents the following courses: For information contact Angel Tribuno, DC at 706-882-2092.

- "The Chiropractic Leadership Summit" 6 hours November 13-15 in Newark, NJ.
- "CBP Scoliotic Deformity Analysts" 12 hours October 24-25 in Chicago, IL.
- "CBP Drop Table Adjusting" 12 hours October 3-4 in Newark, NJ.
- "CBP Instrument Adjusting" 12 hours November 14-15 in Marietta, GA.
- "Holographic Health" 25 hours October 23-25 in Kingsport, TN.

<u>University of Bridgeport College of Chiropractic</u> presents the following courses: For information contact Anne Nilson at 203-576-4880.

- "Linking the Signs" 14 hours October 17-18 in Knoxville, TN
- "Managing Thyroid" 20 hours November 20-22 in Austin, TX and December 11-13 in San Francisco, CA.
- "Breakthrough Coaching" 5.5 hours November 5-7 in Orlando, FL.
- "Applying Lab Evaluations" 11.5 hours December 5-6 in Atlanta, GA.
- "Brain Detox" 15 hours October 17-18 In Portland, OR November 14-15 in San Francisco, CA and December 5-6 Denver, CO.
- "Frequency Specific Seminars Core" 24 hours October 9-11 in Philadelphia, PA November 20-22 in San Francisco, CA.
- "Neurotransmitters & Brain" October 10-11 in San Francisco, CA October 17-18 in Denver, CO and December 5 -6 in Ft. Lauderdale, FL.
- "Functional Endocrinology" 16 hours October 24-25 in Charlotte, NC.
- "Net/Basic" October 15-16 in Newark, NJ November 12-13 in Denver, CO and December 3-4 in Los Angeles, CA.
- "Net/Next" October 17-18 in Newark, NJ November 14 in Denver, CO and December 5 in Los Angeles, CA.

Western States Chiropractic College presents the following courses: For information contact Marsha Peoples Jack at 503-251-5719.

"Preparation for the DOT National Registry Medical Exam" October 22-25 Portland, OR and November 12-15 Orlando, FL.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR POSITIVE COMMENTS

"Thank you so much for the email reminder regarding hours. It was much more convenient..."

"Thanks for the update!...This is a great service and will save me making and you answering a phone call. Keep up the good work!!!"

Disciplinary Actions

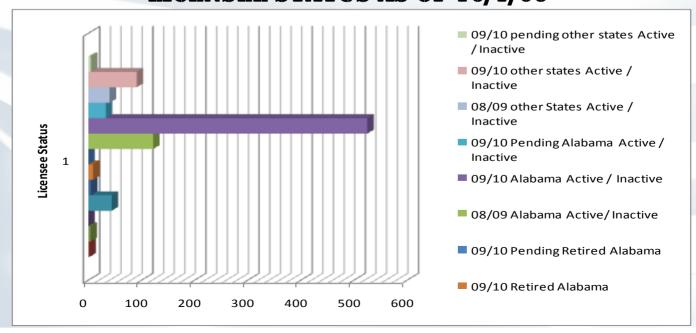
Mary Sabal, DC (Foley, AL) License #1896 Final Order dated July 15, 2009-assessing fines of \$1,095.00 and costs of \$3,076.27 – guilty of two (2) counts of violating 34-24-166(b)(3)(14).

Paul Trey Hood, DC (Spanish Fort, AL) License #2081 Consent Order dated September 25, 2009-assessing fines of \$2,000.00 – guilty of two (2) counts of violating 34-24-166(b)(3)(10). License to practice suspended for a period of five (5) years to revert to probation after 6 months for the remainder of suspension subject to compliance with terms of consent order.

BOARD QUARTERLY PERFORMANCE REPORT

Applications Sent	10
Transcripts Processed	67
New License Issued	9
License Verifications	184
Complaints Received	10
Disciplinary Hearings	2
Outgoing Correspondence	4225

LICENSEE STATUS AS OF 10/1/09



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2009 State Holidays

The board office will be closed on the following:



Columbus Day......October 12
Veterans Day.....November 11
Thanksgiving Day...November 26
Christmas Day.....December 25

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